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SIR:

Responsive to the Official Action of March 28, 2008, reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks. A notice of appeal along with a petition for a two month extension of time was filed on August 28, 2008. A Request For Continued Examination is being filed herewith.

Request for Reconsideration begins on page 2 of this paper.